

IN THE SPECIFICATION

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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

a, ~~To overcome the difficulty in designing a dental prosthesis, which is the most fatal problem of the conventional art process for preparing a dental prosthesis of high precision and superior intra-oral fitness by a CAD/CAM system-~~ A measuring center stores three-dimensional coordinate information of an intra-oral shape measured by impression taking or by photographing within an oral cavity of a patient, as a digital signal. and The measuring center sends the obtained ~~measure~~ measured data to a design center using communication apparatus. ~~means;~~ the The design center reproduces the intra-oral shape on a graphic display device based on the received measuring data ~~by means of~~ as a three-dimensional graphic, designs a shape of a dental prosthesis and stores it as a digital signal ~~[[, and]].~~ The processing center transmits the received design data to a milling processor as a processing command and subjects a block material to milling processing to prepare a dental prosthesis.

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